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BOB, BAS, COCA-COLA ("RO"); DIK, IKS, SOURCE IN THE KhATA (FBI) (1944)

Item 3

From: NEW YORK

To: MOSCOW

No.: 1522

. 27 October 1944

To VIKTOR[i]

Reference your No.49 ϕ [ii]. At the regular meeting BOB[iii] informed me:

1.

[12 groups unrecovered]

to wait a little.

- 2. COCA-COLA (henceforth "RO") [C% promised to give] [5 groups unrecovered]. BAS's[iv] firm also. I explained to BOB that a trip in "RO's" line would suit us.
- 3. His wife in her time has passed us unpublished material of correspondents of "Time", may further [3 groups unrecovered] but bit by bit. Is this of interest?
- 4. If you have [8 groups unrecovered] temporarily does not have until [29 groups unrecovered]

DIK[v] please define more precisely.

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According to [1 group unrecovered] IKS[vi] [1 group unrecovered] our source in the KhATA[vii] arrived here

> [11 groups unrecovered] [57 groups unrecoverable]

Footnotes:

Lt. Gen. P.M. FITIN. [i] VIKTOR:

[ii] Not available.

[iii] Robert Owen MENAKER. BOB:

i.e. "BASS"; also "TENOR"; Michael W. BURD, officer [iv] BAS:

of the Midland Export Corporation, NEW YORK CITY.

i.e. "DICK"; formerly "EKhO", i.e. "ECHO"; [v] DIK:

Bernard SCHUSTER.

i.e. "X"; formerly "STUKACh", i.e. "INFORMER", and "DUGLAS", i.e. "DOUGLAS"; Joseph KATZ. [vi] IKS:

[vii] KhATA: The Federal Bureau of Investigation.





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